

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. and opened with the Pledge of Allegiance

Council Members Present

Lynda Gonzalez Adrian McDaniel Eric Scott Greg Ware Mike Koss

Absent

Betty Gosney Jacqueline Cox

Minutes

Council Member Mike Koss moved to approve the minutes from the April Meeting. Council Member Greg Ware seconded the motion and all were in favor.

New Business

County Librarian, Ed Kieczkoswski - Bloomington Library Project Update

Project Update – Bloomington Library

County Librarian, Ed Kieczkoswski, presented the proposed interim Bloomington Library project located near Bloomington High School. The proposed project would create a new library facility in partnership with the Colton Joint Unified School District. The library will have approximately 5,000 square feet of space for books, computer resources, meeting rooms and reading space. The school district has approved a feasibility study to determine the costs of the project. If approved, the school district will provide the land and the modular units to relocate the library. This will be an interim project due to the upcoming expiration of the current library site lease. The county will continue to explore options for a permanent library site in the community of Bloomington.

Staff Reports

California Highway Patrol – Officer Joe Ramos.

This month they will be conducting a nationwide seatbelt click it or ticket challenge. From May 19th thru June 1st. The funds that were raised are going to be used for this challenge since none of the schools have contacted him for use of the funding.

Field Representative – Dan Flores

Mr. Flores provided info on the recent funding allocation to Bloomington Community Groups from Supervisor Gonzales.

The FY 07/08 Bloomington Tourism Grant program is accepting applications. This year there is approximately \$4,900.00 available to local programs that qualify.

The Appeal of Bloomington Recyclings Conditional Use Permit has been postponed until June 10th. At that time the Supervisors will take action regarding the appeal. The public hearing portion of the meeting has been closed. The meeting will be open to the public and all interested parties are encouraged to attend.

Sheriff's Dept. – Capt. Steve Kovensky

Regarding the Riverside Ave- I10 FWY closure, the alternate routes are in place and they are still available to assist the SB County whenever necessary with providing extra deputies to assist with the detours.

Special Districts –Tim Millington

The fee schedule for our community center has gone up. The Main Room can be rented at a rate of \$20.00 p/h & the Multi-Purpose room can be rented at \$15.00 p/h. Also the security deposit has gone up to \$150.00. Good news is that budget increases are coming due to housing taxes rising. We are Projecting 270k for the budget. The swim program which has been a success is going to start the week after the 4th of July weekend. Also they are working on gofer control.

A. Question and Answer Period

The floor was opened to questions from the public as well as questions and comments from MAC Members.

Public Comments

Members of the public may pick up a request to address the MAC from the Council Secretary. There is a limit of three minutes per request. The following speakers were given time to speak.

Dave Jayne

Mr. Jayne thanked residents for all the support with the San Bernardino Valley Riders event held last March 22nd.

John Dziuban

Mr. Dziuban addressed the issue with loud music in the neighborhood. He suggested flyers be sent out by the MAC to residents educating them on the ordinances regarding loud music.

Anthony Cooks – Bloomington Recycling

Mr. Cooks stated that Bloomington Recycling is open to anyone who would like a tour and added that they are not trying to hide anything.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:59 P.M. The next MAC meeting is scheduled for June 3, 2008 at 7:00 P.M.

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